

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: SAH et al.

Application No.: 09/060,409

Group Art Unit: 1632

Filed: April 14, 1998

Examiner: Anne-Marie Baker

PNS CELL LINES AND METHODS

Attorney Docket No.: 10624-008-999

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## FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$0.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	((	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY				OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE		ADDIT. FEE	OR	RATE		ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	43	MINUS	46	=	0	× 9	\$	0.00		× 18	s	
INDEP.	3	MINUS	3	=	0	× 42	\$	0.00		× 84	\$	
□ FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						140	\$			280	\$	
		<u> </u>				TOTAL	\$	0.00	OR	TOTAL	\$	

Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date December 5, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

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## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed June 5, 2001, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Submitted herewith is: (a) Exhibit A, a marked up version of the claims showing the amendments made herein, (b) an Amendment Fee Transmittal; and (c) Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months up to and including December 5, 2001 with provision for the required fee. Applicants believe that the amendments and remarks set forth below place the case in position for allowance.

## IN THE CLAIMS

A marked up version of the claims showing the amendments is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Matter that has been deleted from claims 10, 12, 15, 16, and 53-55 is indicated by brackets and matter that has been added is indicated by underlining.

Please amend claims 10, 12, 15, 16, and 53-55 as follows:

- 10. (Twice amended) The method of claim 6 wherein the oncogene encodes a protein selected from the group consisting of v-myc, N-myc, c-myc, SV40 large T antigen, polyoma large T antigen, E1a protein of adenovirus, and E7 protein of human papillomavirus.
- 12. (Twice amended) A conditionally-immortalized dorsal root ganglion progenitor cell containing an oncogene, wherein the cell differentiates into neurons upon